

**Sociology of Gender Comp List:** This list contains required “core” readings (sections I, II, III, and IV) – followed by additional sections students can draw from while individually tailoring their exam in consultation with faculty-committee members.

**I) Synthetic overviews:**

Acker, Joan, 1992. “From Sex Roles to Gendered Institutions.” *Contemporary Sociology* 21, 5: 565-569.

Judith Lorber. 1994. *Paradoxes of Gender*. New Haven, CT: Yale University Press.

**II) Theories:**

Chodorow, Nancy. 1978. *The Reproduction of Mothering*. Berkeley: University of California Press. (Esp chapters 1, 2, 11, 12.)

Collins, Patricia Hill. 1990. *Black Feminist Thought*. New York: Routledge. (Selections on Epistemology, esp chapters 1, 2, 10 and 11.)

----- . 2005. *Black Sexual Politics*. New York: Routledge. (Selections)

Engels, Fredrich. 1884. *The Origin of the Family, Private Property and the State*. In R. Tucker, *The Marx-Engels Reader*.

Hartmann, Heidi. 1979. “The Unhappy Marriage of Marxism and Feminism.” *Capitalism and Class* 8. (often reprinted)

Smith, Dorothy. 1987. Intro, and Part Two, Chapter Two, “Sociology for Women.” In *The Everyday World as Problematic: A Feminist Sociology*. Boston: Northeastern University Press.

Stacey, Judith and Barrie Thorne. 1985. “The Missing Feminist Revolution in Sociology.” *Social Problems* 32: 301-316. (often reprinted)

*Gender & Society*. 22(1). 2008. Symposium on Anderson’s SWS Presidential address on Intersectionality. (February)

*Gender & Society* 23, (1). 2009. Symposium, Twenty Years After West and Zimmerman’s, “Doing Gender.” (Feb)

*Gender & Society*. 9(4) 1995 Symposium on "Doing Difference" by West and Fenstermaker. {Esp responses by P. Hill Collins and by B. Thorne. }

### **III) States, Institutions, Organizations:**

Acker, Joan. 1990. "Hierarchies, Jobs, Bodies: A Theory of Gendered Organizations." *Gender & Society* 4, 2: 139-158.

Ferree, Myra Marx and Patricia Martin. 1995. *Feminist Organizations*. (Editors' intro pp. 3-23; selected case study chapters)

Gornick, Janet and Marcia Meyers. 2003. *Families That Work*. New York: Russell Sage. (selected cross-national rather than U.S. chapters)

Moghadam, Valentine. 2005. *Globalizing Women: Transnational Feminist Networks*. Baltimore: John Hopkins U Press.

Orloff, Ann Shola. 2009. *Gendering the Comparative Analysis of Welfare States: An Unfinished Agenda*. *Sociological Theory* 27, 3: 317-343.

■ And either:

Orloff, Ann Shola. 1993. "Gender and the Social Rights of Citizenship: The Comparative Analysis of Gender Relations and Welfare States." *American Sociological Review* 58, 3: 303-328. Or -

---. 1996. "Gender in the Welfare State." *Annual Review of Sociology* 22: 51-78.

Turam, Berna. 2005. *Between Islam and the State: The Politics of Engagement*. Palo Alto CA: Stanford University Press. Chapter 5.

----- 2008. "Turkish Women Divided by Politics: Secular Activism versus Islamic Non-defiance." *International Feminist Journal of Politics*, 10 (4).

Zippel, Kathrin S. 2006. *The Politics of Sexual Harassment: A Comparative Study of the United States, the European Union, and Germany*. Cambridge University Press. (esp chapters 1, 6)

### **IV) Intersectionality**

Bettie, Julie. 2003. *Women Without Class: Girls, Race, and Identity*. Berkeley CA: University of California Press.

Blum, Linda M. 1999. *At the Breast: Ideologies of Breastfeeding and Motherhood in the Contemporary United States*. Boston: Beacon.

Breines, Wini. 2006. *The Trouble Between Us*. Oxford University Press.

OR

----- . 1992. *Young, White and Miserable*. U of Chicago Press.

Brodin, Karen. 1998. *How Jews Became White Folks*. New Brunswick NJ: Rutgers University Press.

Hays, Sharon. 2003. *Flat Broke With Children*. New York: Oxford University Press.

Hondagneu-Sotelo, Pierrette. 2001. *Domestica*. Berkeley: University of California Press (or 2007, second edition).

Kaufman, Debra. 1993. *Rachel's Daughters*. New Brunswick NJ: Rutgers U Press.

Lareau, Annette. 2003. *Unequal Childhoods: Class, Race, and Family Life*. Berkeley: University of California Press.

McCall, Leslie. 2005. "The Complexity of Intersectionality." *Signs* 30 (3): 1771-1800.

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**Above four sections are "core"; following are suggested areas, to be tailored by students in consultation with faculty-committee members.**

***Selections from following, the "non-core," following student's course of study:***

**V) Health, Bodies, Sexualities**

Davis, Kathy. 2007. *The Making of Our Bodies, Ourselves: How Feminism Travels Across Borders*. Duke University Press.

Gamson, Joshua and Dawne Moon. 2004. "The Sociology of Sexualities: Queer and Beyond." *Annual Review of Sociology* 30:47-64.

Lorber, Judith. 1993. "Believing is Seeing,: Biology as Ideology." *Gender & Society* 7, 4: 568-581.

Meadows, Tey. 2010. "'A Rose is a Rose': On Producing Legal Gender Classifications." *Gender & Society* 24,6: 814-837.

Puri, Jyoti. 1999. *Women, Body, Desire in Postcolonial India*. New York, NY: Routledge Press.

Schilt, Kristen. 2006. "Just One of the Guys? How Transmen Make Gender Visible at Work." *Gender & Society* 20: 465-490.

Schilt, Kristen and Laurel Westbrook. 2009. "Gender Normals,' Transgendered People, and the Social Maintenance of Heterosexuality," *Gender & Society*.

Stein, Arlene. 1997. *Sex and Sensibility: Stories of a Lesbian Generation*. Berkeley CA: University of California Press.

Valentine, David. 2007. *Imagining Transgender: An Ethnography of a Category*. Chapter 5, "The Logic of Inclusion." Durham NC: Duke University Press.

Valocchi, Stephen. 2005. "Not Yet Queer Enough: The Lessons of Queer Theory for the Sociology of Gender and Sexuality." *Gender & Society* 19, 6: 750-770.

Higgins, J., Hoffman, S., Dworkin, S.L. (In Press). Rethinking Gender, Heterosexual Men, and "Women's Vulnerability:" Time to Shift the Paradigm? *American Journal of Public Health*.

- *Selections from large, collaborative project on the current college "hook up" scene (possibly, there are others, including in Contexts, other readers):*

Hamilton, Laura and Elizabeth A. Armstrong. "Gendered Sexuality in Young Adulthood: Double Binds and Flawed Options." *Gender & Society*. 23:589- 616.

England, Paula, Emily Fitzgibbons Shafer, and Alison C. K. Fogarty. "Hooking Up and Forming Romantic Relationships on Today's College Campuses." In *The Gendered Society Reader*, edited by Michael Kimmel. New York: Oxford University Press.

*Gender & Society* 2009, Special Issue on Heteronormativity.

- *Selections From:*

Lorber, Judith and L.J. Moore, editors. 2010. *Gendered Bodies: Feminist Perspectives*. Oxford, UK: Oxford University Press. Second Edition.

Malacrida, C. and J. Low. 2008. *Sociology of the Body*. Oxford, U.K.: Oxford University Press.

## **VI) Masculinities**

Anderson, Eric. 2009. *Inclusive Masculinity*. New York, NY: Routledge.

Blum, Linda. 2011. "Not This Big Huge Racial-Type Thing, but . . .: Mothering Children of Color with Invisible Disabilities in the Age of Neuroscience." *Signs* 36, 4: 941-967.

Connell, R.W. 1995. *Masculinities*. Berkeley, CA: University of California Press.

Connell, R.W. and James Messerschmidt. 2005. "Hegemonic Masculinity: Rethinking the Concept." *Gender & Society* 19, 6: 829-859.

Ferguson, Ann Arnett. 2001. *Bad Boys: The Making of Black Masculinity in Public Schools*. Ann Arbor, MI: University of Michigan Press.

Kimmel, Hearn, and Connell, eds. 2004. *Handbook of Studies on Men and Masculinities*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage. (Selections)

Klein, Alan. 2008. Chapters 7, 9, and 10 from *American Sports: An Anthropological Approach*. New York: Routledge.

Messner, Michael A. 2000. "Barbie Girls versus Sea Monsters: Children Constructing Gender." *Gender & Society* 14, 6: 765-784.

Mirande, Alfredo. 1997. *Hombres y Machos: Masculinity and Latino Culture*. Boulder CO: Westview Press.

Nardi, Peter, ed. 2000. *Gay Masculinities*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Press. (selections)

Pascoe, C.J. 2006, *Dude, You're a Fag. Masculinity and Sexuality in High School*. Berkeley CA: University of California Press.

Staples, Robert. 1982. *Black Masculinity*. San Francisco, CA: Black Scholar Press.

Stein, Arlene. 2005. "Make Room for Daddy: Anxious Masculinity and Emergent Homophobia in Neopatriarchal Politics." *Gender & Society* 19, 5: 601-620. (or in above Section V)

## **VII) Gender and Globalization**

Acker, Joan. 2004. "Gender, Capitalism, and Globalization." *Critical Sociology* 30, 1: 17-41.

Charrad, Mounira. 2001. *States and Women's Rights: The Making of Postcolonial Tunisia, Algeria, and Morocco*. Berkeley: Univ of Calif Press. (selections)

Connell, R. (2008). The rise of the global-private: power, masculinities and the Neo-liberal world order. In Jurczyk K and Oechsle M (Eds.), *Das Private Neu Denken* (pp. 315–330), Muenster, Germany: Westfaelisches Dampfboot.

Eisenstein, Hester. 2009. *Feminism Seduced: How Global Elites Use Women's Labor and Ideas to Exploit the World*. New York: Paradigm. (selections)

Eisenstein, Hester. 1992. *Gender Shock: Practicing Feminism on Two Continents*. Boston, MA: Beacon Press. (Selections)

Freeman, Carla. 2001. "Is Local: Global as Feminine : Masculine? Rethinking the Gender of Globalization". *Signs: Journal of Women, Culture and Society*, Special Issue on Gender and Globalization 26, 4:1007-1037.

Haney, Lynne and Lisa Pollard, ed. 2003. *Families of a New World: Gender, Politics, and State Development in a Global Context*. New York: Routledge.

Moghadam, Valentine. 2005. *Globalizing Women: Transnational Feminist Networks*. Baltimore: John Hopkins U Press.

Naples, Nancy, and Manisha Desai, eds. 2002. *Women's Activism and Globalization*. New York: Routledge. (Selections)

Salzinger, Leslie. 2004. "From Gender as Object to Gender as Verb." *Critical Sociology* 30, 1.

----- . 2003. *Genders in Production: Making Workers in Mexico's Global Factories*. Berkeley: Univ of CA Press.

Seidman, Gay. 1993. "No Freedom Without the Women." *Signs* 18: 291-320.

Sylvanus, Nina. 2008. "Chinese Devils, the Global Market and the Declining Power of Togo's Commodity Queens" in *The Fabric of Globality: West African Women in the World Commodity Trade*.

### **VIII) Work-Family and U.S. Inequalities**

Bittman, Michael, Paula England, Liana Sayer, Nancy Folbre, and George Matheson. 2003. "When Does Gender Trump Money? Bargaining and Time in Household Work." *American Journal of Sociology* 109(1): 186-214.

Blum, Linda M. 1991. *Between Feminism and Labor*. U of CA Press. (Chapters 1,5, 7).

Blumberg, Rae Lesser. 2011. "Gender, Economy, and Kinship in Complex Households Among Six U.S. Ethnic Groups." Pp. 106-124 in *Shifting the Center: Understanding Contemporary Families*, edited by Susan J. Ferguson. New York: McGraw-Hill.

Coltrane, Scott. 1996. *Family Man. Fatherhood, Housework, and Gender Equity*. Oxford Univ Press.

Correll, Shelley J., Stephen Benard, and In Paik. 2007. "Getting a Job: Is There a Motherhood Penalty?" *American Journal of Sociology* 112(5): 1297-1338.

Edin, Katherine and Maria Kefalas. 2005. *Promises I Can Keep*. U of CA Press.

Glenn, Evelyn Nakano. 1992. "From Servitude to Service Work." *Signs* 18: 1-43.

Handel, Michael, ed. *The Sociology of Organizations*. (selected chapters).

Hochschild, Arlie R. 1983. *The Managed Heart*.

----- . 1989. *The Second Shift*.

----- . 1997. *The Time Bind*.

Jacobs, Jerry and Kathleen Gerson. 2004. *The Time Divide*. Harvard Univ Press.

McCall, Leslie. 2001. *Complex Inequality*. New York, NY: Routledge Press.

----- . 2006. Chapter 2 in *The Sex of Class*, ed. Dorothy Cobble. ILR/Cornell Press.

Reskin, Barbara, and Patricia Roos. 1990. *Job Queues, Gender Queues*. Temple University Press.

Stacey, Judith. 1995. *Brave New Families*.

Stacey, Judith and Timothy Biblarz, 2001. "(How) Does Sexual Orientation of Parents Matter?" *American Sociological Review* 66, 2: 159-183. (or in Section V)

### **IX) Epistemologies and Interdisciplinary Feminist Theories**

Bordo, Susan. 1993. *Unbearable Weight*. Berkeley, CA: University of California Press. (Selections)

Butler, Judith. *Gender Trouble or Bodies that Matter*.

Fraser, Nancy. 1989. *Unruly Practices: power, discourse, and gender in contemporary social theory*. University of Minnesota Press.

Haraway, Donna. 1988. "Situated Knowledges." *Feminist Studies* 14: 575-600.

-----1997. *Modest\_Witness@Second\_Millennium.FemaleMan\_Meets\_OncoMouse: Feminism and Technoscience*. New York, NY: Routledge Press.

Harding, Sandra. 1991. *Whose Science? Whose Knowledge?* (Selections)

Hartsock, Nancy. 1983. "The Feminist Standpoint." Often reprinted. As in *The feminist standpoint theory reader: intellectual and political controversies*. 2004 edited by S. Harding. Indiana University Press.

Keller, Evelyn Fox. 1985. *Reflections on Gender in Science*. Yale U Press.

MacKinnon, Catherine. 1982. "Feminism, Marxism, Method and the State." *Signs* 7: 515-44.

----- . 1989. *Toward a Feminist Theory of the State*. (Selections)

McCann, Carole and Seung-Kyung Kim. 2003. *Feminist Theory Reader: Local and Global Perspectives*. Routledge. (Selections might include: Narayan, Jordan, Aguilar-San Juan, J.Y. Lee) or from other work by Uma Narayan, problematics of transnational feminist mvmts. And identities.

Scott, Joan. 1991. "The Evidence of Experience " in *Feminist Approaches to Theory and Methodology*. Edited by Sharlene Hess-Biber, Christina Gilmartin, and Robin Lydenberg. New York, NY: Oxford University Press.

#### **X. Gender, Violence, Criminology**

Bourgeois, Phillip. 2003. *In Search of Respect: Selling Crack in El Barrio*. Cambridge, UK: Cambridge University Press.

Jones, Nikki. 2009. *Between Good and Ghetto: American Girls and Inner-City Violence*. Rutgers University Press.

Miller, Judy. 2008. *Playing the Field: African American Girls, Urban Inequality, and Gendered Violence*. New York, NY: NYU Press.

Petchesky, Rosalind. 2004. "Rights of the Body and Perversions of War." *International Social Studies Journal* 57: 371-387.

Richie, Beth. 1996. *Compelled to Crime: The Gender Entrapment of Black Battered Women*. NY: Routledge.

Roggeband, Conny. 2004. "Immediately I thought We Should do the Same Thing." *European Journal of Women's Studies* 11, 2: 159-175.

Schaffner, Laurie. 2006. *Girls in Trouble with the Law*. Rutgers University Press.

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| <p><b><i>Please note, finally, that these categories are neither exhaustive nor definitive: students in consultation with faculty committee-members may also construct</i></b></p> |
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*category/ies for Part II, emphasizing aspects of the sociology of gender de-emphasized here -- for example feminist movements, etc., etc.*